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New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
ATTN: Mike Stogner
P O Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

OIL CONSERVATION DIV.
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RE: Application for Unorthodox Location
Nassau Resources, Inc.
Carracas Unit 14 A #1
1000' FNL - 680' FEL
Sec. 14, Township 32 North, Range 5 West, NMPM
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Nassau Resources, Inc., hereby requests administrative approval of an unorthodox location for the captioned well based upon topographic conditions and archeological findings.

The extremely rough terrain, heavy concentration of archeological sites and Carson National Forest guidelines have restricted placement of a location. Although the Carracas Unit 14 A #4 in the NW/4 was approved by OCD as an unorthodox location (R-8844), the location has been abandoned due to archeological sites.

This well is in Nassau's Carracas Unit. Offsetting operators, as shown on the attached lease plat, have been notified of this application by certified mail. Amoco Production Co. is a party to the unit and has been notified of this application by certified mail. Jerome P. McHugh and Kindermac Partners are operating affiliates with Nassau.

Also attached are the C-102 plat, production map, topographic map and a copy of a letter from Philip Settles of the Jicarilla Ranger District of Carson National Forest.

Please contact us if anything further is required to complete this application.

Respectfully submitted,

Fran Perrin

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Attachments

XC: Ernie Busch, NMOCD, Aztec, NM ✓
Kindermac Partners ✓
Amoco Production Co. ✓
Celeste Grynberg ✓

Main Office
Jerome P. McHugh & Associates
Operating Affiliate: Nassau Resources, Inc.
650 South Cherry, Suite 1225
Denver, Colorado 80222
(303) 321-2111

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

P.O. Box 2088

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

1980, 11-26, NM 88240
DISTRICT II
O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88210

DISTRICT III
1000 Rio Braton Rd, Artesia, NM 87410

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

All Distances must be from the outer boundaries of the section

Operator Nassau Resources, Inc.			Lease Carracas Unit 14 A		Well No. 1
Unit Letter A	Section 14	Township 32 North	Range 5 West	County Rio Arriba	
Actual Footage Location of Well:					
1000 feet from the North line and		680 feet from the East line			
Ground level Elev. 7380		Producing Formation Fruitland Coal		Dedicated Acreage: 320.0 Acre	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hatchure marks on the plat below.

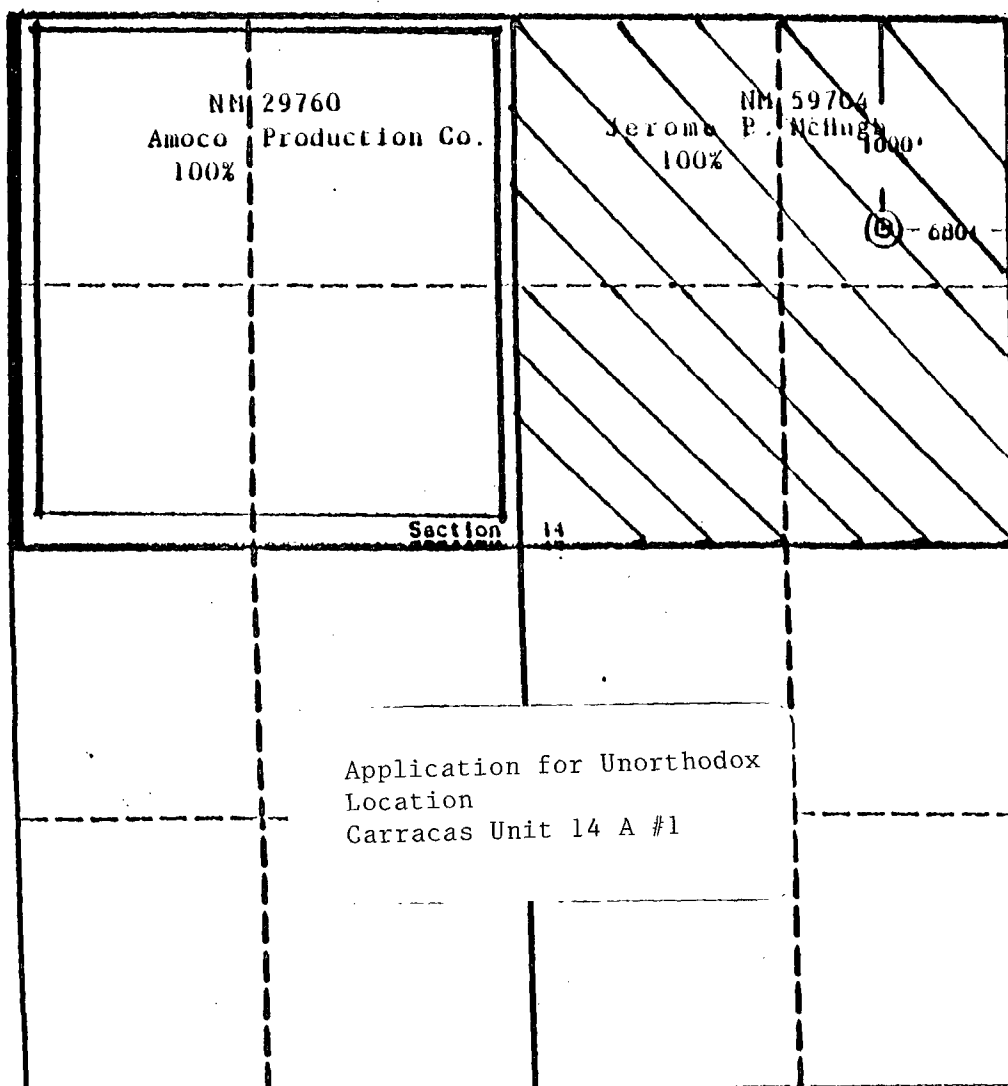
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).

3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interest of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, forced pooling, etc.?

☒ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes" type of consolidation **Carracas Unit - Unitization**

If answer is "no" list the owners and tract designations which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.)

The allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced pooling, or otherwise) or until a new standard unit, subdividing such interest, has been approved by the Division.



OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature

Printed Name

James S. Hazen

Position

Field Supt.

Company

Nassau Resources, Inc.

Date

8/16/89

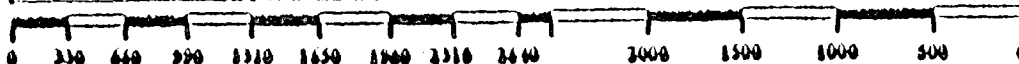
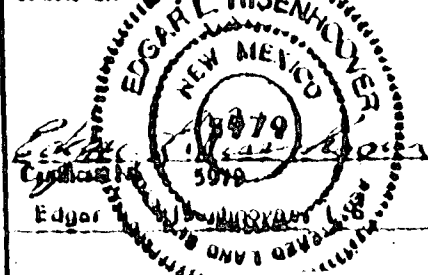
SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed

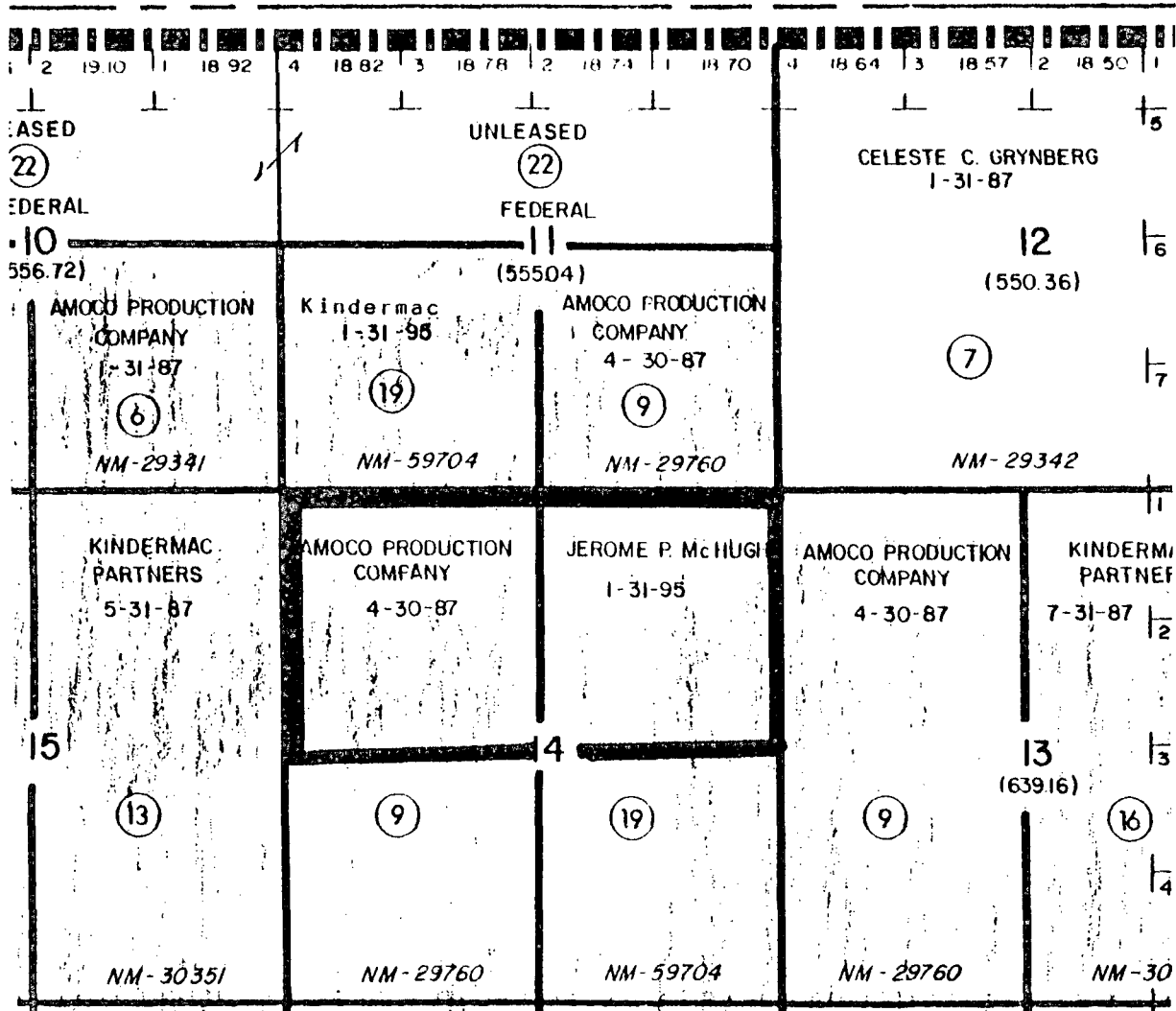
August 3, 1989

Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor



LEASE PLAT

Township 32 North, Range 5 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico



OFFSETTING OPERATOR:

Celeste C. Grynberg

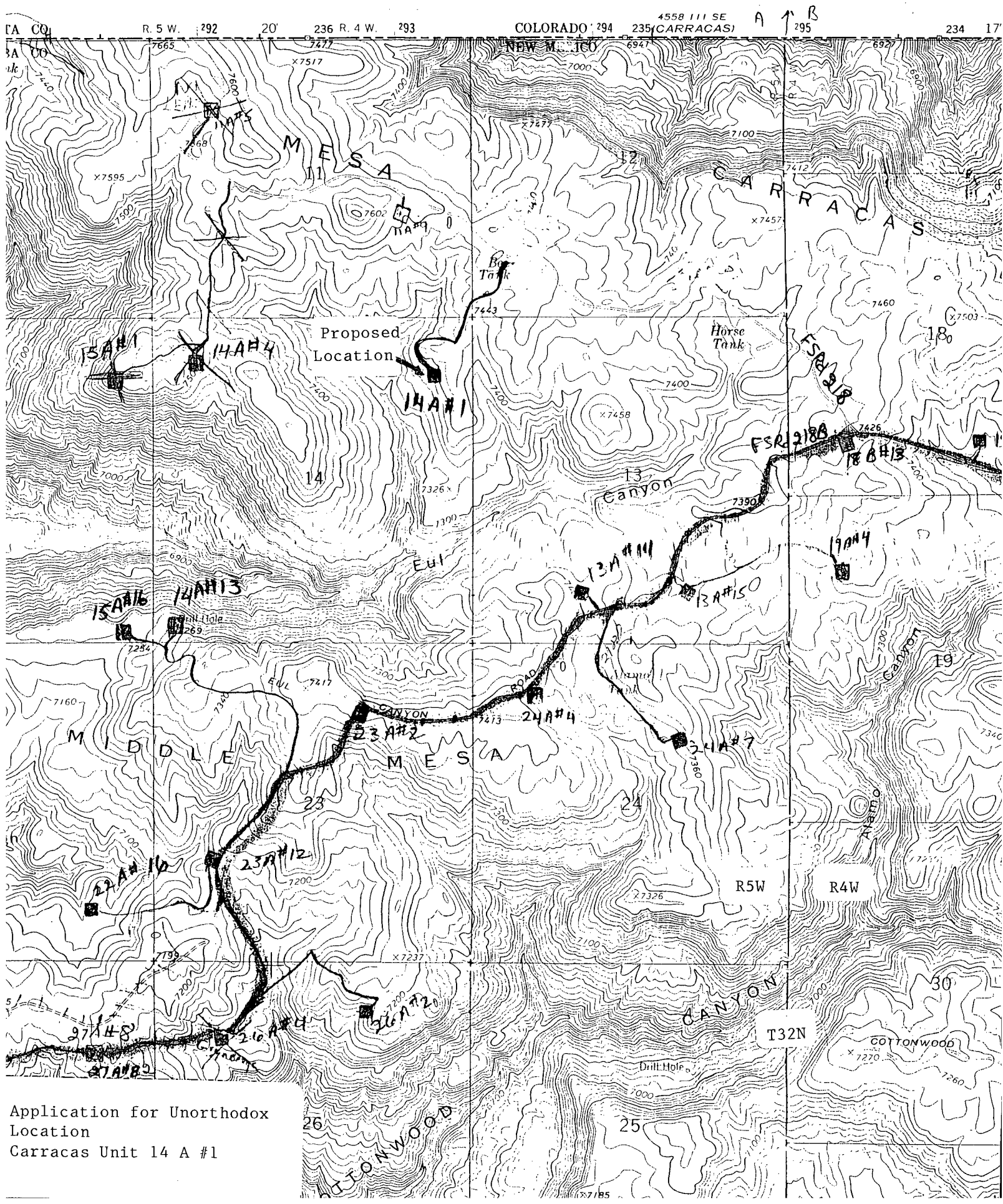
PARTY TO THE UNIT:

Amoco Production Co.

OPERATING AFFILIATES:

Jerome P. McHugh

Kindermac Partners



Application for Unorthodox
Location
Carracas Unit 14A #1

J. Zaborski

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San Juan 32.5 Unit

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Proposed Location of
Carracas Unit
14 A #13

Proposed Location of
Carracas Unit
13 A #14

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Carracas Unit 14 A #1



United States
Department of
Agriculture

Forest
Service

Jicarilla
Ranger District

Gobernador Route
Blanco, NM 87412

Reply to: 2820

Date: August 3, 1988

Mr. James Hazen
Nassau Resources, Inc.
P.O. Box 809
Farmington, New Mexico 87499

Dear James:

It was brought to my attention by Mike Atchison that you will be needing to apply for some unorthodox locations for some of the wells in the Carracas Unit. The current location in need of unorthodox approval is the well location just northwest of the Carracas Administrative site, Section 18, T. 32 N., R. 4 W. The need for moving the location to the new site is based upon wildlife habitat protection and in keeping within the guidelines set forth in the Carson Forest Plan. The Plan, as you know, has a major emphasis in wildlife and wildlife habitat. Also key to this request for moving the location is the current Off-Road-Vehicle restriction policy in place over the entire Carracas Unit. This restriction is in place to limit off-road-vehicle travel within a key wildlife management area so that security area will not be lost by unnecessary road construction.

Whenever possible, locations will be required to be placed along open access roads. Further unorthodox locations can be expected within the Carracas Unit to keep in line with the management direction set forth for this area.

Because of this management direction and the probability of future relocations, I would hope the approval of these unorthodox locations can become routine. If not, please don't hesitate to contact me for further help or if needed to appear in person before the approving officer. If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Sincerely,

Philip R. Settles

PHILIP R. SETTLES
District Forest Ranger

Jerome P. McHugh
Farmington, N.M.

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Carracas Unit 14 A #1

GRYNBERG PETROLEUM COMPANY

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TELEX: 510 600 2180 ENERGY DVR
TELECOPIER: 303-850-7498

August 22, 1989

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P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

ATTN: Mike Stonger

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Carracus Unit 14 A #1
1000' FNL 680' FEL 18, T32N, R5W
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

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Gentlemen:

Celeste C. Grynberg, offset operator to the captioned well, does not have any objection to the unorthodox location of said well.

Sincerely,

GRYNBERG PETROLEUM



Susan Stone
Land Manager

cc: Nassau Resources, Inc.
650 S. Cherry, Suite 1225
Denver, Colorado 80222

ATTN: Fran Perrin



Amoco Production Company

Denver Region
1670 Broadway
P.O. Box 800
Denver, Colorado 80201
303-830-4040

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**OIL CONSERVATION DIV.
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August 29, 1989

Michael Stogner
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87504

File: NWA-135-986.511

Dear Mr. Stogner:

Waiver of Objection to Nassau Resources Inc.
Application for Unorthodox Location
Carracas Unit 14 A No. 1
Section 14-T32N-R5W
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Amoco Production Company has no objection to the above referenced application by Nassau Resources Inc. for the unorthodox location for the Carracas Unit 14 A No. 1 well as proposed.

Sincerely,

J. W. Hawkins

JWH/kjf

cc:
F. Perrin
Jerome P. McHugh and Associates
P. O. Box 809
Farmington, NM 87499

J. L. Spitler - Building

LTR775



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

GARREY CARRUTHERS
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1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410
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Date: 8-25-89

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Re: Proposed MC _____
Proposed DHC _____
Proposed NSL X _____
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 8-21-89
for the NASSAU RESOURCES, INC. CARRAZO UNIT #1
Operator Lease & Well No.

A-14-32N-5W and my recommendations are as follows:
Unit, S-T-R

Approve

Yours truly,

E. Buel